

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Liam Rowley et al                      Conf. No.: 6038  
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For : APPARATUS FOR GUIDING A SURGICAL INSTRUMENT

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SUBMISSION OF COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed April 12, 2007 and pursuant to Rule 53(f) and Rule 54, please find enclosed a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for the application of Liam Rowley, Alex Hogg and Michael Rock entitled Apparatus for Guiding a Surgical Instrument, Attorney Docket No. DEP5285USPCT, to complete, pursuant to Rule 51, this application filed on August 14, 2006.

Please charge our Deposit Account in the amount of \$130.00 as indicated on the Fee Transmittal Sheet filed via EFS for submission of the Declaration pursuant to Section 1.16(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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